The Weather. PORECAST TILL S P. M. SATURDAY. For the District of Columbia, Delaware, and Maryland, fair; warmer; winds southwest. For Virginia, fair; variable winds; warmer in the

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 58; condition, 5. Receiving reservoir, temperature, 61. Condition at north connection, 7; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 63; condition at influent gate house, 7; condition at influent gate se, 7; effluent gate house, 16. High tide. Low tide. 10:27 a.m. 10:58 p.m. 4:29 a.m. 5:13 p.m. High tide.

ADMIBAL. The only strictly first-class cigarette.
"Admiral" is not controlled by a trust.

ANOTHER HUNDRED BARRELS New York Sugar-cured Shoulders. 639-641 La. ave. Book "Museum of Wonders" free at 729 7th treet tomorrow. Early.

NEVER MIND THE WEATHER.-May is half gone—Straw Hats are ripe! See ours at \$1.
"One-fifty" is nearer their real value.

HENRY FRANC & SON, cor. 7th and D. MEATS enough for every one at JOHNSTON BROS. & Cô.'s, 639-641 La. ave.

Wz have bought the entire stock of Joseph & Fiersche, a leading jobbing house in Baltimore retiring from business, and will sell, with the balance of Hutchins' stock, at 1/2 their value. Come early and secure bargains in Shirts, Drawers and full line of notions. Worsted, all shades, single and split, at 15c. package. S. Samstag, Manager, 907 Pa. ave. LEAN NEW YORK SUGAR-CURED SHOULDERS.

REMNANTS of Wamsutta and Pride of the West Cotton, Sc.; worth 1234c. Remnants of Pink and Blue Chambray, 7c.; worth 1234c. JOHNSON, GARNER & Co., 636 Pa. ave. Boox""Crown Jewel" free at 729 7th street

ANOTHER BIG CANDY DAY TOMORROW AT SHARPLESS', 803 PA. AVE.

Only 20 cents a pound. Only 20 cents a pound. Tomorrow we will again run everything on our counters "special" at the "special" price of 20c. a pound, which includes Bon Bons, Chocolates, Nut Candies, &c. Ice Cream Soda, 5c. a glass.

MEATS, BREASTS, SHOULDERS, HAM, BACON.

PANTOGRAPHS for enlarging drawings. Book "Scenes Around the World" free at 729 7th street tomorrow. THOSE EIGHT-POUND LEAN NEW YORK SUGAR-

CURED SHOULDERS. At 639-641 La. ave. FOR SPRING LAMB go to JOHN R. KELLY, 9th street wing, Center market. Telephone 1064. BOOK "Earth, Sea and Sky" free at 729 7th

HOYAL HEADACHE POWDERS. 10c. Druggists. Now OPENING Straw Hats, Outing Shirts, Summer Vests, Medium-weight Underwear, Office Coats, Belts, &c., &c. R. C. Lewis & Sox, Hatters and Furnishers, 1421 New York ave. Pook "Stanley's Africa" free at 729 7th

street tomorrow. Early. CARPETS CLEANED by the EMPIRE CARPET learning it. WCRES, 631-635 Mass. ave. n. w., are made mothproof free of charge. Telephone 425-1

CITY AND DISTRICT AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

ALBAUGH'S OPERA HOUSE.—Dickson's Summer Opera Company in "The Gondoliers."

HARRIS' BLIOU THEATER.—Will Rising and Louis De Lange in "Tangled Up." KERNAN'S LYCEUM THEATER.-Ada Dixon

Burlesque Company.

THE BATTLE OF GETTTSBURG.—15th street and Ohio avenue. FITZSIMMONS' AUDITORIUM (7th street near Pennsylvania avenue).—Continuous perform-ance from noon until 10:30 p.m.

W. L. I. ARMORY.-International Baby Show. Calvary Baptist Chunch.—Illustrated Lec-ture on "A Ramble Through the Heavens," by Prof. R. W. Prentiss.

A Society of Surgeons.

A meeting of members of the Association of Acting Assistant Surgeons resident in this city was held at the residence of the vice president, Dr. Lamb, last evening. A number of other acting assistant surgeons, not members, were also present. Attention was called to the meeteral applications for membership were made. It was informally decided to form a local

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued by the elerk of the court to the following: Daniel Dyson and Mary Bell; Elmer Ruffin and Henrietta Neal; Henry Herrod and James Custis; John Wilkins and Annie Harris.

Additional Train to New York via Royal Blue Line. The Baltimore and Chio railroad has placed in service an additional train to New York, leaving Washington at 8 p.m. and arriving at New York at 3:20 a.m. This train carries a through Puliman sleeping car to New York and a parior car to Philadelphia, where an additional sleeping car is attached. Passengers may remain in sleeping car undisturbed until 7:30 a.m.—Adut.

B. and O. Trains to Chicago.

OPENING OF NEW THROUGH LINE VIA PITTSBURG AND AKRON-ADDITIONAL TRAIN TO CHICAGO. Commencing May 14 the B. and O. express train leaving Washington at 11:35 a.m. daily will run via Pittsburg over the new Chicago route of the B. and O., passing through the cities of Youngstown, Warren and Akron, Ohio, arriving at Chicago at 11:55 the next The express train heretofore leaving Wash-

ington at 8:15 p.m. will seave at 6:15 p.m. and arrive at Chicago the next night at 9:35. An additional Chicago train has been added to the schedule, which will leave Washington at 12:35 night and arrive at 6 o'clock the second morning. Through sleeping cars to Chicago

Additional Through Service to the World's Fair via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania railroad announces that or and after Sunday, May 21, 1893, in order to provide ample accommodations for those of their patrons who intend visiting Chicago during the period of the world's fair, the St. Louis and Cincinnati express now leaving Washington at 1:10 p. m. will leave at 3:15 p. m., on which train a through sleeping car service to Chicago will be established.—Advt.

Butter Prices Go Down. We will sell 5-pound boxes of fancy creamery butter for \$1.60. Jas. F. Oyster, corner 9th

INTO THE HEART OF PHILADELPHIA. - On and after May 14 passengers to Philadelphia via all Royal Blue line trains, except the limited, leaving Washington at 10, will have the option of leaving the train at the new terminal station of the Reading railroad at 12th and Market streets, in the heart of the city. All trains will continue to stop at 24th and Chestnut streets as heretofore.—Advi.

ROYAL HEADACHE POWDERS. 10c. Druggists.

SALE OF FURNITURE, Bradbury upright plane, fine mirrors, lot of goods from the Bancroft sale, linens, mattings, carpets, severages, phaetons, &c., at Sloan's, 1407 G street between 12th and 13th streets southwest and two brick dwellings on alley in rear, to be sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold the sold the sold tomorrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock by Ashort the sold the sol

DUMPING THE GARBAGE. Charges That It is Theown Into the

River. SEEN-THE WHARP VISITED BY A STAR RE-PORTER-RYPLOYES RETICENT ON THE SER. JECT-NO LAW IN THE CASE.

nights ago which has resulted in a lengthy investigation and considerable comment upon ing disposed of. Under the terms of the

the manner in which the garbage is becontract it is in the power of the contractor to remove the garbage outside the District or ncinerate the same. At the last session of Congress an act was passed giving the contractor fifty cents for each ton of garbage wharf by the District for that purpose. But army and navy appointments. Their theory a pair of gold spectacles, in recognition of the according to the story of the two men in the on this point was confirmed when Medical In-

ing after their fishing nets when they saw a army. tug drawing a barge leave the Sanitary Com-pany's wharf and start out in the direction of the main channel of the river. When only a few hundred yards away and within five hundred yards of the barracks (arsenal) grounds the wheel of the boat stopped and men on the scow unloaded the garbage, throwing it in the water. Policemen Smith and McKie, who had sus-pected that such a thing was being done, heard he statements of the fishermen and determined the statements of the fishermen and determined to take the case into court, if possible, and wash their hands of it. Before doing so, however, one of the officers called at the health office to see Chief Clerk Tracy, who has charge of the garbage service. Mr. Tracy, as published in Wednesiay's STAR, had just notified the contractor that unless better service was performed there would be trouble about the vouchers, and the report made by the police gave him additional work to do. He at once sent word to Mr. E. B. Thomas was in the contractor that the interests of the service demanded that the officer selected for the head of the bureau should be able to the most should be able to the contractor retired in a few years and because it was felt which the organic union will be the special topic discussed at the afternoon session today, during which the organic union will be the special topic discussed at the afternoon.

Organic union will be the special topic discussed at the afternoon session today, during which the organic union of the A. M. E. Bothel churches will be voted upon. The session will probably be the most ent word to Mr. E. B. Thomas, wno is detailed at the incinerating plant.

THE INSPECTOR'S REPORT This morning Mr. Thomas reported that he District will pay nearly \$20. He also reported what he had heard about the disappearance of garbage from the wharf at night. In the report he stated that a load of garbage at the wharf Tuesboard Friday night of last week.

When asked about the matter this morning Chief Clerk Tracy said he had done nothing in the matter as yet. He had seen the police and as they were looking after the case he would THE WHARF VISITED.

A STAR reporter visited the sanitary company's wharf this morning, where the incinerating plant was in operation. Superintendent Arnold was not on the premises, but Mr. A. Morris, the foreman, was seen.

believe there is any truth in the story of gar-bags being thrown in the river, for we can't et enough to use now. There was a scow at the wharf and its condition showed that not many days had elapsed since it was covered with garbage.

afloat concerning the dumping of the garbage overboard at the wharf or taking it out and throwing it in the channel, but none of them were able or willing to tell anything further. Mr. Thomas, the weighmaster, was also seen but he said he preferred not to say anything about the matter just now. It was true, he said, that he had heard reports to the effect that the garbage had been thrown into the river, but he had no direct proof that such had been done. Then, too, he said, he was only on duty in the day time and if there was any garbage thrown in of them has any certainty of promotion, he the river at night there was no way of his

NO LAW TO COVER IT. investigating the case. Two days ago, after laid before Attorney Pugh, who was to have issued the warrants today, but when Officer McKie went to have an information in the made out against the contractor he was informed that there was no law covering the case Mr. Pugh afterward stated to a STAR re-porter that he had examined the laws but failed to find any that would cover the throwing of garbage in the river.

DISTRICT GOVERNMENT.

A BUILDING REGULATION AMENDMENT. The Commissioners this afternoon amended section 17 of the building regulations by adding thereto the following paragraph:

"Each application for a building permit shall be accompanied by elevation of the building, showing the correct curb and alley grade as established by the engineer department. These lines must be certified to by the computing engineer, who will, if necessary, establish the same upon the grounds."

NOT FUNDS ENOUGH. Some time ago application was made for the ppening of U and Thomas streets from 1st street through the Barber tract to the Moore tract. A jury was summoned and \$1,343 was assessed as damages incident to the opening of Thomas street and \$26.57 damages accruing from the opening of U street. This made a total of \$4,050, and the Commissioners were requested today to proceed in the matter. As there is but \$2,249 available for the condemnation of streets the

BUILDING PERMITS were issued today as follows: F. P. Nash, one brick dwelling, 1226 8th street northwest, peted, but one of them-that of company A,

Retail allowed Rose A. Lynn, 482 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; Chas. A. Engels, 413
East Capitol street; James H. Costello, 405
10th street northwest. The application of John
T. Holden, 1231 7th street northwest, for a retail liquor license, was rejected. Whole-sale licenses were granted in the cases of Chas.
N. Mades, 300 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, and S. T. Grizzes, 1135 14th street northwest, and S. T. Grizzes, 1135 14th street northwest, Philip Barry, 1011 C street southeas;
John Musslein, 915 1st street northeast;
John Musslein, 915 1st street northeast;
James O. Holmes, 333 Virginia avenue

The scores in order of merit were as follows:
Company A. fourth battalion—Sergt. Mc-Anally, 41; Sergt. Leiston, 39; Corp. John Gately, 44; Corp. J. Reagan, 44; Corp. Carroll, 44; Private W. Harlow, 30; Private J. M. Walsh, 47; Private C. O'Riordan, 39. Total, 411.
Company B, fourth battalion—Private J. B. Holden, 42; Sergt. W. F. Place, 43; Sergt. W. F. Smith, 40; Corp. Edward Trumble, 42; Corp. L. A. Ratchiff, 38; Corp. A. L. Thompson, 39; Private J. W. Connell, 39: Private E. F. Riley, 37; Private Frank Trumble, 36; Private Edward and S. T. Grines, 1135 14th street northwest.

The following cases were held up: Retail—
Philip Barry. 1011 C street southeas;
John Musslem, 915 1st street northeast;
James O. Holmes, 333 Virginia avenue
southwest; Matthew Rupert, 1003 7th
street northwest Staples & Merrick,
1311 E street northwest; James
Clark, 812 F street northwest. Wholesale—J.
M. Stutz, 1100 Q street northwest, and Michael
Flynn, 21st and H streets northwest.

ON HER WAY HERE.

The Spanish Infanta Leaves Jersey City for Washington. JERSEY CITY, May 19.-The train bearing the Infanta Eulalie and party left the Pennsylvania station at 3 o'clock.

A Christian Endeavor Mass Meeting. A Christian Endeavor mass meeting will be held Sunday afternoon in the First Presbyterian Church, 4½ street. Addresses will be made by Rev. S. J. Nicolls, D. D., of St. Louis, Rev. H. H. Stebbins, D. D. of Rochester, N. Y., Rev. C. G. Hazard of Catskill, N. Y., and John

Meeting of Police Superintendents. Col. Wm. G. Moore, superintendent of the police, went to Chicago yesterday to attend the meeting of police superintendents in that city today. This is the first meeting of the kind ever held and it is likely that a permanent organization will be effected. The idea of forming such an organization originated with Chief Philip Deitsch of Cincinnati and received the hearty support of the chief of police of 190. Total 202. Advt.

Chief Philip Dentschof Cincinnati and received the hearty support of the chief of police of Comaha. The Chicago officials secured the city council chamber in which to hold the session, valuable building lot on B street southeast, valuable building lot on B street southeast lot lot of the chief of police of Dimana. The Chicago officials secured the city of Dimana lot of the chief of police of Dim

THE ARMY QUIDNUNCS Business Transacted at the Session in Union

WHAT A COUPLE OF FISHERMEN CLAIM TO HAVE All at Sea in Regard to the Policy of Promotions.

It Would Be-Gossip Over Gen. Carlin's minutes of yesterday's session read and ap-Appointment - Uncertainty as to the Fill- proved. During the roll call, at the ing of Future Vacancies.

The army quidnuncs are all at sea again. incinerated, and now all the garbage They thought they knew something about collected is weighed by a man detailed at the President Cleveland's policy in the matter of according to the story of the two men in the boat some of the garbage has been dumped overboard, and this within a short distance of the navy over the head of twenty-eight ranking officers in his corps. It was knocked into DUMPED INTO THE RIVER.

on this point was confirmed when Medical Invaluable services he has rendered to the church. A committee, composed of J. W. Smith, Dr. Wim. Howard Day, John H. Hector, J. Q. Adams, R. H. G. Dyson, J. F. Page and S. S. Wales, was appointed by the bishop to wait upon the President and learn when it would be protograph in each package. These two men, John Evans and the other ever, when Col. Carlin was promoted to the named Walker, were out in a small boat look- vacancy in the list of brigadier generals of the A SUPPOSED EXECUTIVE POLICY.

According to these wiseacres the President had determined to overlook altogether, in the matter of promotions, all officers who were on the verge of retirement, or, in other words, he would discontinue entirely the practice of promoting officers nearing retirement for the purpose of enabling them to retire with incomplete that the others continue their studies in the fourth series. R. J. Lisby and Wm. H. Johnson were continued in the third series. Delegates from the Metropolitan Zion and Union Wesley churches presented letters asking for the return of their pastors, Rev. F. H. Hill and Rev. W. H. Newby. Galbraith Church of this city also asked for the return of their studies in the fourth series. pose of enabling them to retire with increased rank and pay. This policy was carried out in the case of Surgeon General Tryon. Medical Directors Gihon and Dean, who stood first and was taken up in hearing the reports of dele-second in rank and seniority in the medical gates, adjourning at 1 o'clock until 2:30 this corps, were told by their friends that they had should be able to serve out his term of four years.

UPSET BY GEN. CARLIN'S APPOINTMENT. The argument was a reasonable one and they weighed about thirty-seven tons of garbage submitted with the best possible grace. It resterday, for the incineration of which the was thought that the same rule would apply to day night was not there the next morning, and he had also heard some mention of the garbage which is reported to have been thrown overHe will be retired by operation of law in November next. His early retirement was the only reasonable objection that had ever been offered against his elevation. His record was exceptionally honorable and his capacity unquestioned, but he had been passed over so fre quently by his juniors, solely on account of his age, that he was thought to be out of the race, especially after the President's action in the case of the naval surgeon general.

TWO OTHER IMPORTANT APPOINTMENTS. It may be stated as a fact, however, that Col . Carlin's promotion is most popular in the army. "If there has been any garbage thrown Nevertheless it tends to distress those officers away," he said, "I know nothing of it. I don't who had hoped to see in this appointment a clear indication of the President's policy in such matters, especially as he will soon have two other important army appointments at his disposal. These are the offices of surgeon general and adjutant general. The first named Persons about the wharf had heard rumors by the retirement of Surgeon General Sutherland, and the other will become vacant in November next by the retirement of Adjutant General Williams. If the President had adhered to his rule in the case of the surgeon general in the navy Col. Page, the senior officer in the medical corps of the army, and Col. Vincent, the second senior officer in the list of assistant adjutant generals, would have been eligible for promotion to the prospective vacancies in the heads of their respective departments, for the reason that they are both stands an equal chance of success with any other officer of his department.

NOT ALWAYS BY SENIORITY. It is well known, however, that such appointments do not always go by seniority. Under calling at the health office, the matter was President Harrison seniority was often set aside in appointments of general officers in the army and of heads of staff departments, both in the army and navy. Indeed, the very object of the existing law is to free the President from any trammels of a seniority rule for such ap-

pointments. President Cleveland will have the appointment of chief to every one of the bureaus in the navy, since apart from the question of age retirement, appointments are for a period of four years only, to act as head of the bureau, and then reappointment is needed. But in the army, should the same suspected intention prevail, the innovation would be much more serious, because there the appointment by the President of a chief of a staff corps carries with its perment properties to the prevail of the prev with it a permanent promotion to the rank and pay of brigadier general.

BEST FOR THE SERVICE IN EACH CASE. In view of the recent apparently policy-conflicting appointments the gossips have con-cluded that the only rule that the President has adopted in this matter is to do what he thinks best in each individual case without regard to questions of seniority, and that where it may be well to follow a beaten path in a certain class of appointments it may be altogether better to follow an entirely different path in another class. In other words he will have no fixed policy, but will decide each case in-dependenly on its merits.

MILITARY RIFLE COMPETITIONS. National Guardsmen Showing the Public

How They Can Use Their Guns. Commissioners decided to do nothing in the matter, as they did not have funds enough to last night with soldiers, who were either com-The National Guard rifle gallery was crowded petitors in the company match, which opened up at 8 o'clock, or else desired to see what the selected shots could do. Eight teams combrick dwelling, 1226 8th street northwest, \$5,000; A. G. Gross, one brick dwelling, 1722 17th street northwest, \$3,500.

A repair permit was issued to the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company to build a four-story addition on the west side of the building and to make general repairs; \$28,000.

LIQUOR CASES ACTED ON.

The excise board held a meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock and acted upon the following cases:

Retail allowed Rose A. Lynn, 482 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; Chas. A. Engels, 413 37; Private Frank Trumble, 36; Private Edward Terry, 39. Total, 395.

Terry, 39. Total, 395.
Company C, first battalion—Sergt. B. F.
Kirchner, 38; Sergt. P. M. Kennedy, 39; Sergt.
C. E. Haines, 41: Corp. F. M. Thompson, 42;
Private W. G. McIntyre, 36; Private C. L.
Himebaugh, 46; Private J. F. Kelly, 44; Private
G. S. Pault, 40; Private C. E. Heard, 31; Private
A. M. Smith, 24. Total, 381.
Company D. Gret battalian Company D, first battalion-Sergt. Wise, 37;

Sergt. McAvoy. 29; Pvt. Zea, 43; Corp. House, 32; Pvt. Thorowgood, 36; Pvt. Chapman, 34; Pvt. McIntosh, 45; Pvt. Tucker, 40; Pvt. Fales, 36; Pvt. Stearns, 29. Total, 361.

Company A, second battalion—Sergt. Pro-Company A, second Dathallon—Sergt. Prosise, 36; Sergt. Thompson, 39; Sergt. Sabin, 31; Private T. B. Davis, 44; Private Ward, 44; Private Balderson, 22; Private Taylor, 32; Private Rhodes, 36; Private Gibson, 43; Private Kolb,

Rhodes. 36; Private Gibson, 43; Private Kolb, 32. Total, 359.

Company B, second battalion—Sergt. W. M. Cromwell, 37; Sergt. J. C. Fugitt, 37; Sergt. C. M. Meading, 35; Sergt. O. W. Bailey, 14; Corp. S. F. Junneman, 33; Corp. C. H. Dickson, 40; Corp. H. M. Walker, 32; Private B. L. Mark, 29; Private O. H. Fowler, 27; Private J. C. Gaither, 25. Total, 308.

Company B, first battalion—Sergt. Schneider, 45; Corp. Burdine, 38; Corp. Walker, 36; der, 45; Corp. Burdine, 38; Corp. Walker, 36; Private Demaine, 2; Private Davidge, 31; Private Wells, 33; Private Birmingham, 31;

THE A. M. E. CONFERENCE,

Wesley Church Today. Yesterday afternoon's session of the Phila-delphia and Baltimore conference, now being prices "way down." That \$1 Hat is a beauty. held at Union Wesley Church, was called to order at 2:30 o'clock by Bishop Watters. The afternoon was taken up by hearing the reports of the presiding elders, and in the evening an educational sermon was preached by Dr. J. B. Two men in a boat made a discovery a few | THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY

> ing at 10 o'clock. Roll was called and the suggestion of Bishop Watters, the members of the conference, with a number of their wives, were placed on the roll of honor, paying \$1.00 each to the general fund. The sum realized amounted to \$61.65. Rev. J. H. Anderson then presented to Rev. J. E. Price, on behalf of the members of the first district, convenient for the conference to wait upor him. The committee on studies then made its report, announcing members of the fourth class Brother S. W. Johnson was favorably passed upon, but it was recommended that the of this city also asked for the return of its pastor, Rev. R. H. G. Dyson, and Trinity Zion Church asked for the return of Rev. A. C. Washington. The rest of the morning session

about evenly divided on the subject, and many bitter speeches will be made on both sides, A concert will be given tonight in the church by Rev. J. H. Manly, secretary of the General Missionary Society, in which Blind Tom No. 2. first cousin to Blind Tom No. 1, will perform

YESTERDAY a slight fire took place at the house of R. Pollard, owned by Mrs. Gay, at the corner of 2d and B streets southwest, and

нининининини A Business Man's Letter.

GREAT PREJUDICE OVERCOME.

INTENSE MISERY WITH DYS-PEPSIA-NO HELP FROM PHYSICIANS, BUT HOOD'S CURED.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"I have been led to address you from a deep sense of gracifude for the great benefit. I have received from Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"For twenty years I have been a constant sufferer from dyspepsia. Have spent many hundreds of dollars for medicine, with at best only temporary relief. I have always been an inveterate enemy to patent medicines. But now in my home Hood's Sarsaparilla has A HEARTY WELCOME.

"Those who have not been af-flicted with dyspepsia have no con-ception of the misery I endured, and those that have need no descrip-tion of the horrors of the unfortu-nated varieties." and those that have need no descrip-tion of the horrors of the unfortu-hate dyspertic.

This is why I changed my mind in regard to batent medicines: An old friend had been afflicted for many years with disper-sia and for a few months I noticed that he had been woulder-ruly improving. I ascertained that the kreat change had been that the kreat change had been wholly wrought by the use of Hood's Sarsasarilla. He advised me to 'try it by all means, but I e idea of me taking parent medicine' was a very bitter fill to swallow. But tirsed by my great sufferings to do something I finally yielded and began to take

HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA. I am now using my fourth bottle and feel better than 1 have in twenty years and consider myself circd. Use this statement as you piense. I have been in constant business here over 40 years."— Frank C. STUART, Marshell, Mich.

HOOD'S PILLS act easily, vet promply and efficiently, on the liver and bowels. 25 cents. **НИНИНИНИНИ**

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Only cure for pimples, because only preventive of

clogging of the pores. Sold everywhere

"True to its name."
TOMORROW'S GREAT OFFERINGS \$1.10 Whappers, 69c. Tomorrow we shall offer 50 dozen Ladies' Fine Percale Wrappers, two excellent new styles, in forty or more light attractive patterns. One style has large riffle over the shoulder and Watteau back; the other has entire front shirred and Watteau back. Cost other dealers 75c., but we manufacture ours, so can sell you regular \$\frac{8}{2}\] 10 Wrappers FOR 69c. EACH.

S1.48 PERCALE SUITS, 98c. Tomorrow we will sell Ladies' Percaie Suits, in attractive colorings, made with Russian basque, full skirt, full sleeves and ruffle around neck and sleeves. Regular price, \$1.48. Tomorrow, 98c. Each.

THE "BEE HIVE." 926 7TH. M my 18-2t Read the address twice.

THE FAIR. SOUTHEAST CORNER 7TH AND H STS. N. W. Will sell for this week only, commencing TUESDAY MORNING, MAY 16.

EITHER FOR CASH OR ON CREDIT. Refrigerators, Mattings, Baby Carriages, Parlor, Chamber and Dining Room Furniture at a discount of 10 PER CENT On all prices marked. All goods marked in plain figures. Our prices always have and always will be known to be lower than the lowest, and this additional discount of 10 per cent will bring prices down still lower and should be taken advantage of at once.

THE FAIR No. 743-745 7th st. n. w.

in importance to the medi-cine and a professional nurse. We have these Calcutta Coolers at \$1.50 each

Bet the Best. THE GONCORD HARNESS. LUTZ & BRO.,

497 Penn. ave., adjoining National Hotel.

PHARMACY, 703 15TH Sr. N.W.

CITY ITEMS.

It's None Too Soon It HENRY FRANC & Son, cor. 7th and D. Book "Museum of Wonders" free at 729 7th

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